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## Giant Flowering TULIPS

Five of the most popular varieties. Beautifully colored large flowers on tall strong stems. All top size bulbs. Afterglow, pink edged salmon; Inglescombe Yellow (Cottage); Bronze Queen (Breeder); Pride of Haarlem, carmine-rose; Princess Elizabeth, pink.

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## 1935 FALL CATALOG

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## CONLEY'S BLOSSOM FARM

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Medium and
Small Cup
NARCISSI

Exquisite all white sorts, gay yellow flowers with orange and red cups. Loveliest sort of material for cutting and so easily grown! For naturalizing in woodland no other narcissi would be more satisfactory. This mixture is made up from our named varieties in a wide range of color and form. Each bulb will give two or more blooms.

> 25 for \$1.00 50 for \$1.75 100 for \$3.00

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On all orders of \$2.00 or more we prepay the postage or express, whichever we consider the more desirable. On orders less than \$2.00 please add 10 cents to help pay the packing and transportation charges. Cash with order unless credit arrangements have been made. Six bulbs of a variety at the dozen rate. Less than six at the each price which is one-tenth of the dozen price. 25 or more of a variety at the hundred rate. Special quotations on quantities of 250 or more of a variety.

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Children love to gather flowers. Our two daughters in one of our plantings of Sir Walter daffodils.

## Greetings!

It is with a distinct feeling of pleasure that we again present our modest catalog. The many compliments that have been coming in from people who bought bulbs last fall are most gratifying. We feel sure that this year's crop will give even better results. As this is being written, July 8th, the tulips are all in the bulb house and the digging of daffodils will be finished in a few days. We will be ready to make deliveries as soon as this reaches you. You are not compelled to wait until nearly October as you would for bulbs coming from Holland.

It is a great help to us to have your orders early before the big rush occurs. You get the pick of the crop and we will be a little more generous than usual in the count or with extras on the early orders.

The growing season has been fine and our tulip crop is the biggest and best in years. They will all be needed from the way business increases. It was twice as much last fall as the year before.

Each year we improve our cultures and methods of handling so that we may be able to supply the best bulbs possible. It is well known that the Oregon daffodils are the finest in the country and superior to the stocks formerly received from Holland. It has been in this country, too, that the new methods of treatment have been worked out to produce these stronger, healthier bulbs.

CONLEY'S BLOSSOM FARM. PAT and LOLA CONLEY.

Assorted Narcissi-Daffodils

Large double nose bulbs, 25 for \$1.00, 100 for \$3.75, 1000 for \$30.00, delivered Large round bulbs, 50 for \$1.75, 100 for \$3.00, 1000 for \$24.00, delivered.

Our mixed narcissi-daffodils contain all the main types in a surprisingly good mixture. Many of our best varieties appear because occasionally things do get mixed in handling and they go into this mixture. This year there will be King Alfred, Tresserve, Golden Spur, Victoria, Spring Glory, Sir Watkin, Elvira, among many others including Poet's narcissi and many of the medium cup sorts.



# Collection of Large Trumpet Daffodils

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This was one of the most popular items in the catalog last year and the reports show that the results were very pleasing. Four fine distinct sorts giving a long season of daffodil blooms. King Alfred, Tresserve, Madame de Graaff and Spring Glory.

Large double nose bulbs —12 each (48 bulbs), value \$4.90, for \$4.00; 6 each for \$2.25.

Large round bulbs—12 each, value \$3.96, for \$3.25; 6 each for \$1.75.

## LARGE TRUMPET DAFFODILS

Division 1. The trumpet or crown as long as or longer than the perianth segments (petals).

#### CLASS A-ALL YELLOW

Aerolite. Large beautifully proportioned flower. Early. One of the longest lasting daffodils. Medium yellow trumpet with primrose perianth made up of broad flat petals. Each 20c, 12 for \$2.

Cleopatra. Latest yellow daffodil. Long light yellow trumpet and lemon-yellow overlapping petals. 12 for \$1.60.

Duchanel. Beautifully balanced flower of giant size. Brilliant clear self yellow. The widely flaring trumpet is deeply frilled. Each 50c.

Emperor. Perianth primrose, trumpet yellow. Medium sized flower on a good stem. Fine for naturalizing. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Golden Spur. Uniform rich golden yellow. The earliest daffodil for outdoors or for forcing. Double nosed bulbs, 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00. Large round bulbs, 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

King Alfred. The "Gold Standard" of daffodils. Large golden yellow flower of great substance on a tall strong stem. Very long lasting in the garden or when cut. Vigorous substantial growth. Indispensable for any garden. First size round bulbs, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50. Double-nosed bulbs, 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$8.50. Mammoth double-nosed bulbs, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00.

Minister Talma. Almost as early as Golden Spur and a very early forcer. Uniform golden yellow. The flowers are large with a beautifully ruffled trumpet supported by a good stem. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

Olympia. Very large flower with a most beautifully frilled trumpet of clear yellow. The gracefully twisted perianth is primrose. A vastly improved Emperor. 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00.

Tresserve. One of the most popular of the giant trumpet daffodils. Deep canary yellow trumpet with lighter perianth. The widely expanded trumpet mouth is deeply lacinated. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$8.00.

Warwick. One of the finest King Alfred seedlings of a deeper golden yellow color. Very early. Splendid substance. 30c each.

#### CLASS B-ALL WHITE DAFFODILS

Madame de Graaff. This lovely graceful daffodil was the first of a new class and the most famous of the white trumpets. A rather low growing free flowering plant. The trumpet opens pale primrose changing to white. Late. 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00.

#### CLASS C—BI-COLOR DAFFODILS

Beppy. This daffodil has a huge widely flaring trumpet of deep yellow. The pure white perianth reaches forward around the trumpet, making a very striking appearance. 12 for \$1.25.

Glory of Sassenheim. Broad creamy white perianth and bright canary-yellow trumpet. Very free flowering. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

Spring Glory. Large golden yellow trumpet backed by long pure white petals. A good clear flower on an excellent stem. Free flowering. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

Van Waveren's Giant. One of the largest of all the trumpet daffodils. Creamy perianth, large bright yellow trumpet. 12 for \$1.75.

Victoria. Bold erect flower, creamy white perianth with broad yellow trumpet. Fine forcer and excellent for naturalizing. 12 for \$1, 100 for \$7.50.

The prices are quoted for large double-nosed bulbs. We can supply large round bulbs for 20% less.



Incomparabilis Narcissus

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Division 2. The cup or crown measuring from one-third to nearly equal the length of the perianth segments. The perianths are white or yellow and the cups yellow, yellow shaded with red or all red.

Bernardino. Broad creamy perianth with fluted cup of soft yellow edged apricot. One of the most beautiful of the medium priced narcissi. Free flowering and good grower. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$8.00.

Croesus. Creamy yellow overlapping perianth. Widely expanded cup of clear orange. Excellent form and substance. Each 20c, 12 for \$1.80.

Lucifer. Graceful perianth of long white petals. Yellow orange cup shading to orange-red. A fine flower for out-of-doors as it holds its color remarkably well. One of the earliest of the bright cups. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Mi-Careme. Very tall and outstanding new variety. Perianth citron yellow with deep yellow cup shaded with orange. Comes early and lasts very long. Each 30c.

Sir Watkin. One of the indispensables: A very

Sir Watkin. One of the indispensables. A very free flowering variety with splendid foliage and large flowers on good stems. The flowers have a primrose perianth and deep yellow cup. Excellent for naturalizing and for cutting. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Whitewell. Fine large flower of splendid substance. Broad white perianth, cup deep primrose with orange edge. 12 for \$1.00.

Will Scarlet. Fiery orange-scarlet cup, very broad and nicely frilled. The reflexed perianth is Fine for rock gardens or by a pool. creamy white. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

#### All-Types Collection of Narcissi-Daffodils

A good representative of each of the ten main groups. All dependable proven sorts that will do well under any ordinary garden conditions. King Alfred, Madame de Graaff, Spring Glory, Sir Watkin, Barrii Conspicuus, Lord Kitchener, Single Jonquil, Elvira, Glory of Lisse, and The Pearl. Large double nose bulbs, 10 each (100 bulbs). Value \$7.33, for \$6.25; 5 each for \$3.25. Large round bulbs, 10 each (100 bulbs), value \$5.90, for \$5.00; 5 each for \$2.75. 5 each for \$2.75.

Bulbocodium Conspicuus. The yellow Hoop Petticoat, flowers rich golden yellow, of hoop-petticoat form and rush-like foliage. Height 6 inches. It blooms from the end of February to early in March, and prefers a sandy peat soil with a fair amount of moisture while in growth, but not in summer; no manure should be given. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.



Barrii Narcissus

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Division 3. Cup or crown less than one-third the length of the perianth segments. The colors are the same as the incomparabilis division. Many They are free of them have cups of intense red. flowering, hardy, and increase rapidly.

Barrii Conspicuus. Bright yellow perianth and short broad cup, conspicuously edged brilliant orange-scarlet. Rapid of increase and free flowering. A delightful sweet-scented cut flower with a

long stem. Special low price. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.

Diana Kasner. The overlapping perianth of purest white has great substance. Large fluted yellow cup with orange red frill. A magnificent free flowering novelty of rare beauty. Highly rec-

ommended. 12 for \$1.80.

Early Surprise. A handsome early flower of semi-dwarf growth. Fine for naturalizing. Frilled yellow cup edged bright orange, pure yellow perianth. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

Firebrand. Small cup of intense fiery red. Star

Firebrand. Small cup of intense fiery red. Star shaped perianth of creamy white. A bright small flower especially fine for naturalizing in partial shade. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Firetail. Very attractive flower with broad overlapping perianth of creamy white. Large orange cup with scarlet orange frill. Each 25c.

Masterpiece. Creamy white star-shaped perianth, flat nicely frilled orange-red cup. Tall stem. Late. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

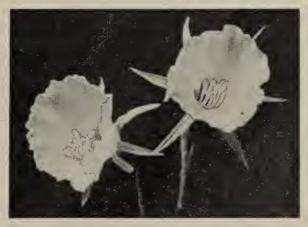
Mrs. Barclay. Large flower with flat broadpetaled perianth of pale primrose changing to pure white; deeply frilled flat cup of yellow edged orange-red. Each 30c.

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Nanny Nunn. Creamy white perianth of wonderful substance. Glowing cup of orange-scarlet that lasts well. 12 for \$1.50.

Red Chief. The broad perianth is of purest

white, the cup intense orange red. A striking flower. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.



Bulbocodium Conspicuus



Leedsii Narcissus

#### Leedsii Narcissi

Division 4. Perianth white, cup white, cream, or pale citron, sometimes tinged with pink or apri-

cot. In size of cup this division corresponds to the Barrii and Incomparabilis groups.

Delaware. Very gracefully formed flower of most remarkable substance. The large cup which is exceptionally deeply wrinkled opens a golden quince color changing to creamy lemon. Pure white perianth. Delightfully fragrant. Each \$1.

Hera. One of the most chastely beautiful of all daffodils. Broad petaled creamy-white perianth and deeply frilled cup of creamy white edged light primrose. The large flat flowers are beautifully poised on their tall stems. 12 for \$1.50.

Lord Kitchener. Broad flat, pure white perianth of firm substance. Large cup of a delicate pale primrose nicely frilled. 12 for \$1, 100 for \$7.50.

Mrs. Langtry. White perianth, cup edged lemon-yellow when opening, but soon becomes pure white. Rapid multiplier and free flowering. One of the best for naturalizing. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3,00 for \$3.00.

Queen of the North. Broad glistening white perianth. Medium size lemon-yellow cup that is prettily fluted. A very attractive flower on a tall stem. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

St. Olaf. Wide imbricated perianth, frilled broad cup. cream edged sulfur. Late. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

#### Jonquilla and Jonquil Hybrids

Division 7. All varieties of narcissus jonquilla parentage.

Campernelle Rugulosus (The Single Jonquil). Two to four beautiful bright yellow flowers on a tall round stem. Delightfully fragrant. Foliage erect and rush-like. Makes very attractive clumps for the border. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Golden Sceptre. A hybrid of a single jonquil

and large daffodil having the color, fragrance and graceful proportions of the former with a daffodil-like trumpet. Tall stem and attractive foliage. Remains in bloom for an exceptionally long time.

12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

Jonquilla Simplex. The true single sweet jonquil of light growth bearing charming clusters of

quil of light growth bearing charming clusters of numerous small rich yellow flowers of most delicious fragrance. 12 for \$1.20.

Odorus Orange Queen. A very striking variety of intense golden orange. Cup prettily fluted. Delightfully fragrant. Two to three flowers on wiry stem produced in great profusion. The gayest of the lot for garden or cutting. 12 for \$1.30.

Tullus Hostilius. Of the jonquil yellow trumpet type. Two or three golden yellow flowers of remarkable substance. Each 15c, 12 for \$1.50.



Poetaz Narcissus Elvira

#### Poetaz Narcissi

Division 8. Hardy bunch-flowering hybrids of Poeticus Ornatus and Polyanthus Narcissi such as Soleil d' Or. Tall vigorous growers, bearing heads of large, well-formed fragrant flowers. Excellent garden flowers and very early forcers.

Elvira. Three or four large flowers with white petals and yellow cup, edged orange. The flowers are held erect on a strong tall stem with good foliage, making it a very effective variety for garden decoration. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Helios. Creamy yellow perianth with darker yellow cup. Five to seven flowers on a stiff stem. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Laurens Koster. Creamy white perianth, lemon yellow cup. Early. Five to seven flowers in the cluster. 12 for 75c.

Orange Cup. Yellow perianth, orange-red cup, nicely frilled. 12 for \$1.00.



Jonquil, Golden Sceptre



Poet's Narcissus

#### Poeticus Narcissi

Division 9. The true Poet's Narcissus. Pure waxy white perianth, flattened eye or cup of yellow or yellow and red.

Glory of Lisse. Large snowy white perianth of heavy texture. Cup yellow edged red. An improved Poeticus Ornatus. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.

Horace. Large star-shaped perianth of broad gleaming white petals. Flat red eye. Graceful and free blooming. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Recurvus. The old-fashioned Pheasant's Eye. Perianth pure white somewhat reflexing. Small orange-red cup. Fine for massing in borders or grass. Very late. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

#### Triandrus Hybrids

Division 5. All varieties obviously containing Narcissus triandrus blood. These are hardy vigorous free-flowering varieties. The graceful flowers have more or less drooping habit.

Agnes Harvey. A most dainty pure white flower of drooping habit. One to three flowers on the stem. 15c each, 12 for \$1.50.

Thalia. One of the loveliest flowers imaginable. Each stem bears two to four charming flowers of purest white. It is so graceful that it is known as the Orchid Narcissus. Each 30c.

#### Tazetta or Polyanthus Narcissi

Division 8. Tender bunch flowering narcissi used so extensively for forcing in water and fibre. We do not grow these but obtain them from one of the best sources in the country.

Chinese Sacred Lily. Large clusters of white flowers with yellow cups. Each bulb produces several spikes of the fragrant flowers. Very easily grown in bowls of pebbles, or fibre, and water. Each 10c, 12 for \$1.00.

Paper White Narcissus. The most popular bulb for forcing in water. Large clusters of pure white, fragrant flowers. Medium size, 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50. Large size, 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Soleil d' Or. "The Yellow Paperwhite." Golden yellow flowers with orange cup in large clusters. Suitable for forcing or for planting out. Each 10c, 12 for \$1.00.



Double Narcissus, The Pearl

#### Double Narcissi

Division 10. Full double flowers of white, cream and yellow in a variety of attractive forms.

Albus Plenus Odoratus. (Double white Poeticus). Snowy-white sweet scented, gardenia-like flowers much prized for cutting. Likes deep cool soil, not too dry. The latest narcissus. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Orange Phoenix. Large flowers of creamy white with inner petals of orange. Long willowy stems. Free flowering and hardy. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

Sulphur Phoenix (Codlins and Cream). Beautiful sulfur-white flower. A large informal type of flower on a long flexible stem. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

The Pearl. Last year we sold thousands of this fine creamy white double narcissus and there have been many compliments about it. The blossoms are not too double, are borne in profusion and supported by good stems. While Albus Plenus Odoratus usually comes blind where the springs are warm The Pearl will stand much more heat. Special price as advertised, 15 for \$1.00, 100 for \$5.

Twink. Large semi-full double flowers with alternating petals of soft primrose and clear orange on tall stems. Each 25c, 12 for \$2.50.

#### Culture of Narcissi-Daffodils

The various types of narcissi-daffodils are not difficult to grow but they do greatly repay a little care and attention. In the first place one should obtain good healthy bulbs. These should be well nourished first size bulbs of either the round size, which make one bloom the first year, or double nose bulbs, which make two or more blooms. Narcissi are deep rooting and the ground should be deeply prepared, 18 inches is not too deep. It is well to work some plant food into the ground below the bulbs. Bone meal is always safe to use. We prefer Vigoro as it contains all the elements that the soil may need. Do not use fresh stable manure near the bulbs. Planting should be done early. September is the best month but October is satisfactory. Cover the tops of the bulbs about four inches and in cold climates mulch well after the ground has frozen. Reset the bulbs every second or third year. The digging should be done about the time the tops die down, the bulbs stored in a cool dry airy place and reset in the early fall Never dig any bulbs before or during blooming time as it will injure their growth very severely.

The prices are quoted for large double-nosed bulbs. We can supply large round bulbs for 20% less.



No Flowers Equal Tulips for Spring Color

## DARWIN TULIPS

#### Darwin Tulips

The Darwin Tulips along with the Cottage and Breeder groups constitute the main part of the tulip planting. These three groups bloom at the same time and each supplies shades and types lacking in the others, but necessary for the making of a well formulated tulip planting.

The numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4 indicate relative time of flowering, those numbered 1 being the earliest.

#### SHADES OF RED

Allard Pierson. (1) One of the very earliest Darwins out of doors and extremely early forcer. Long oval flower of rich deep red. 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

Bartigon. (2) Fiery crimson shading to scarlet at the margin. Splendid for forcing. (24-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

City of Haarlem. (3) Large flower of rich cardinal-red. The steel-blue base with white halo gives a striking appearance. One of the finest red Darwins. (31-in.) 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Farncombe Sanders. (2) One of the best red tulips grown. Vivid rose-scarlet with white base. Large flower of perfect shape on a strong stem. (28-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Jacob Maris. (3) A fine big tulip much after the fashion of City of Haarlem. Bright maroon-red with scarlet edge. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

King George V. (3) Brilliant cherry-rose. Splendid large flower of unusual substance on a strong stem. One of the finest tulips. (28-in.) 12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.25.

King Harold. (3) Deep ox-blood red with purple base. Large flower on a strong stiff stem. Excellent variety for the border. (24-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Pride of Haarlem. (1) Enormous brilliant rosycarmine flower on a very tall stem. Especially desirable because it comes so early. Sweet scented. Unsurpassed for borders. (30-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Prince of the Netherlands. (3) Glowing cerisescarlet shaded rose with a light blue base. Extra large beautiful flower of a brilliant color. (32-in.) 12 for 75c.

Prof. Rauwenhoff. (2) Bright cherry red with glistening scarlet glow inside, brilliant blue base. Large substantial flower on a strong stem. (28-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Sundew. A new type of tulip with petals that are beautifully fringed and lacinated at the outer edges. The glowing crimson blossom is supported a strong tall stem (28 in.) 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.50.

Victoire d'Oliviera. (3) Deep carmine red shading lighter to edge of petals. Tall and robust Highly recommended for forcing. (28-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

William Pitt. (2) Dark velvety crimson with purplish shade on outer petals. Excellent forcer and very showy in the garden. (24-in) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

#### PINK AND ROSE

Afterglow. (4) Soft apricot-orange shaded salmon at the edges. A beautiful large flower of unusual coloring. (30-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

Aphrodite. (3) A really fine silvery rose-pink tulip of a most delightful clear texture. Large Large flower on a tall stem (32 in.) 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.

Baronne de la Tonnaye. (4) Bright rose margined blush rose. Large well formed blossoms ex-

cellent for cutting. (26-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.

Centennaire. (2) Rich violet-rose with large blue base. Large flower of splendid form and good substance. (32-in.) 12 for 70c.

Cherry Blossom. (1) This sport of Pride of Haarlem is a beautiful large flower of unusual form. Has bold erect growth. The color is a lovely shade of rose-pink marked with green as it opens, changing to clear light rose. (30-in.) 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Clara Butt. (3) Probably the most popular tulip and deservedly so. The color is clear pink flushed salmon rose with deeper color inside. The medium sized blossoms are lovely for cutting. Easily grown and increase rapidly. (23-in.) 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50. Second size bulbs, 100 for \$2.75.

Edmee (Beauty). (2) A large flower of vivid cherry-rose edged soft old rose. A wonderful tulip

for the border because of its splendid growth and bright color. (28-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

Madame Krelage. (2) Bright lilac-rose margined pale silvery rose inside soft rose pink. (28-in.) 12 for 60c.

#### DARWIN TULIPS

**Princess Elizabeth.** (2) Clear rose pink deepening in color with age. Fine for the border or forcing. (28-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Sierrad van Flora. (1) Fine large flower of bright lavender pink. A very fine forcing variety. 12 for 60c.

**Sylvia.** (3) Deep violet-rose shading lighter to the edge of the petals. Unusually large flower on a tall strong stem. (30-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

#### VIOLET AND PURPLE

Faust. (2) Dark satiny purple-maroon. Enormous oval flower of good form and substance. One of the finest dark varieties. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.

La Tulipe Noire (The Black Tulip). (3) Very dark maroon-black. Fine large flowers of velvety texture. (26-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

The Bishop. (3) The finest variety in its color class-violet purple. A very impressive flower of great size on a strong stem. (29-in.) 12 for \$1.00.

#### LAVENDER AND LILAC

Bleu. Aimable. (4) Clear lavender, shaded steel blue, with a white base. A beautiful flower of distinct shape. (26-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

(1) One of the most popular in this class. A soft heliotrope flower shading deeper on the inside on a tall graceful stem. Fine for cutting. (28-in.) 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

Duchess of Hohenberg. (2) A lovely blending of lilac and heliotrope. Magnificent flower of perfect form, borne on a stiff stem. (29-in.) 12 for \$1.50.

Melicette. (3) The purest lavender Darwin. Soft lavender shading to light lavender at edges, inside deeper. Very lovely with soft yellow varieties. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Remembrance. (3) Silvery lilac shaded violet. Very effective when planted with yellow cottage tulips. (25-in.) 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

Wm. Copeland. (1) The earliest Darwin for forcing and the first to bloom out-of-doors. While the color is not especially good it is useful because of its earliness. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

#### WHITE AND YELLOW

Yellow Giant. (3) Large finely shaped flower of pure golden yellow. Tall strong stem. One of the best recent introductions. 12 for \$1.25.

Zwanenburg. (3) Majestic pure white flower of large size and good substance. Black anthers. 12 for \$1.00.

#### Collection of Darwin Tulips

Six lovely varieties all extra large and tall stemmed, except the exquisite and ever popular Clara Butt, chosen to give a wide range of color. Each variety is packaged separately and correctly labelled. King Harold, Pride of Haarlem, Cherry Blossom, Faust, Dream, and Clara Butt.

36 bulbs (6 bulbs each, value \$1.93) for \$1.75.

72 bulbs (12 bulbs each, value \$3.85) for \$3.45.

150 bulbs (25 bulbs each, value \$6.75) for \$6.00.

#### Mixed Darwin Tulips

A mixture of fine named Darwins, strongest in the pink and red shades with a moderate proportion of other colors. Very satisfactory where plantings of mixed colors are wanted. First size bulbs, 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

## SINGLE EARLY **TULIPS**

Because of their brilliancy of coloring coming so early in the spring, the early tulips have always been great favorites for garden display in formal beds and in clumps in the border. While the stems are not as long as the May flowering types, many of the varieties make delightful cut flowers. These are the tulips to use for early

Coleur Cardinal. A rich crimson tulip with a plum colored bloom on the outer petals giving an effect of unusual richness. Fine substantial flower of globular form on a strong stem. (13-in.) 12 for 70c.

Flamingo. Bright carmine-rose with a white stripe through the center of each delicately crinkled petal. (13-in.) 12 for 70c.

Fred Moore. Soft rosy terra cotta shading to orange yellow at the edges of the petals. A lovely sweet scented flower of medium size. (16-in.) 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

Gen. de Wet. One of the most beautiful of the early tulips of a remarkable color effect—orange with bright scarlet veining. Extra large flower of erect habit. (16-in.) 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Keizerskroon. Bright crimson scarlet with a wide border of clear yellow. A strong growing large flower, this is splendid for bedding. (16-in.) 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Mon Tresor. One of the best yellows for bedding or forcing. Large pure golden yellow of handsome form. (13-in.) 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Vermillion Brilliant. One of the most brilliant red tulips, glistening scarlet with yellow base. Splendid for early forcing or for bedding. (12-in.) 12 for 75c, 100 for \$4.50.

### Collection of Single Early Tulips

50 Bulbs for \$2.25, Postpaid

Five colorful varieties suitable for bedding or forcing — red, yellow, pink and white included. Each variety named and bagged separately. Ten bulbs of each (50 bulbs) for \$2.25.

Mixed Early Tulips. A special mixture that we can highly recommend where beds of mixed colors are wanted. All good varieties in all colors. 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

## **DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS**

These are extremely effective for planting in masses as the flowers are very large and long lasting. They should have good fertile soil in order to get fully double perfect blossoms.

Electra. Beautiful deep rose with a tinge of violet. Enormous flowers of great beauty. (13-in.) 12 for 75c.

Mr. Van der Hoeff. Without doubt one of the finest golden yellow double tulips. Very large fully double flowers. (12-in.) 12 for 75c.

Peach Blossom, Large very double flowers of a most delightful bright pink flushed white. Alayever greatly admired in our plantings, 12 for 75c.

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Vuurbaak. Brilliant scarlet with an orange hue when fully open. The finest double scarlet tulip. 12 for 75c.

#### Collection of Double Early Tulips

Six each of the above four varieties for \$1.35: 12 each for \$2.70.

## COTTAGE AND HYBRID TULIPS

Included with the charming Cottage Tulips are some of the new Hybrid Tulips—the finest examples of the hybridizer's art. While many of the older varieties were exceptionally graceful with their pointed petals and slender stems, among these new hybrids are some of the largest and most dazzling tulips in existence. The Cottage Tulips bloom with the Darwin and Breeders and are called on to supply most of the fine yellow varieties for planting with the latter sorts. For cutting they are the most graceful of tulips and some of the shorter kinds with their brilliant colorings are unsurpassed for bedding.

The numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4 indicate relative time of flowering, those numbered 1 being the earliest. The number in parenthesis denotes height.

#### ORANGE, SCARLET AND RED

Gesneriana Spathulata. (3) Rich crimson-scarlet with a steel blue base. A long pointed flower that opens up like a brilliant poppy. (24-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

**Grenadier.** (2) Certainly this is one of the most brilliant of all tulips. Dazzling orange-scarlet with yellow base. The large flowers have sturdy stems of medium height making this one of the finest late tulips for bedding. (21-in.) 12 for 70c.

Inglescombe Scarlet. (3) Brilliant scarlet with black base. Long slender pointed petals. (24-in.) 12 for 60c.

La Merveille. (4) Orange-scarlet flushed rose with yellow base. Large flower of beautiful long shape. Delightfully fragrant. (20-in.) 12 for 60c,

Mayflower. This extraordinary flower is considered the largest of all tulips. The color is fiery scarlet with blue base. It is the result of a cross between Gesneriana Spathulata and Tulipa between Gesneriana Spathulata an Greigii. (30-in.) Each 30c, 12 for \$3.00.

Orange King. (3) Glistening deep orange shaded rose with yellow base. Large globular flower. Sweet scented. (23-in.) 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

#### YELLOW

Alaska. (3) This is a fine tulip of clear soft uniform yellow. Charming long flower with slightly reflexing petals. 12 for 85c.

Avis Kennicott. (3) Rich chrome-yellow with black base and anthers. A large long flower on a strong stem. A very attractive variety. (26-in.)

Bouton d'Or. (2) Deepest golden yellow with black anthers. Very substantial cup shaped flower of medium size. (20-in.) 12 for 60c.

Ellen Willmott. (4) A long pointed flower of soft creamy yellow on a tall strong stem. Deliciously scented. (30-in.) 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

Gesneriana Lutea. (3) Tall and handsome flower of deep yellow. Vigorous grower with fine stem and foliage. (24-in.) 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

Inglescombe Yellow. (4) The most popular of all yellow tulips. Large globular flowers of glossy canary yellow. Free flowering and increases rapidly. Often called the "yellow Darwin" as it has the true Darwin shape. Height 25 in. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50. Second size bulbs, 100 for \$2.75.

Moonlight. (1) A long oval shaped flower of soft luminous yellow. The outer petals reflex at the tip as the bloom opens. (24-in.) 12 for 75c.

Mrs. Moon. (4) Rich golden yellow. One of the finest late tulips. The blooms are large with pointed petals and are carried on tall, strong stems. (25-in.) 12 for 75c.



Cottage Tulip, Picotee

#### PINK AND COMBINATIONS

Ambrosia. (3) A very artistic combination of terra cotta and amber with a rosy glow. The very large flowers have great substance and a rather slender form. Delightfully fragrant. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

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Dido. (3) Rich orange-rose with shadings of salmon and orange yellow. One of the loveliest tulips ever introduced. The flowers are very large and well formed. (30-in.) 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Fairy Queen. (3) Unusual combination of rose-lilac with amber-yellow margin. Large oblong blossom. (20-in.) 12 for 60c.

Inglescombe Pink. (2) Soft rosy pink flushed salmon, changing to rose when in full bloom. A splendid cut flower. Very free flowering. (26-in.) 12 for 55c, 100 for \$3.50.

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Lord Carnarvon (Triumph Tulip). (1) Large pointed petals of white with broad band of clear bright pink. A beautiful tulip of attractive shape. 12 for 80c.

John Ruskin. (3) Salmon-rose, edged pale yellow. A beautiful tulip of delicate colorings and fine form. (18-in.) 12 for 65c.

Picotee (Maiden's Blush). (3) Opens pure white. Later the gracefully reflexing pointed petals become beautifully margined and penciled with bright pink. An especially charming cut flower. (22-in.) 12 for 55c. 100 for \$3.75.

Sirene (Lily-flowered Tulin). (2) The long petals

Sirene (Lily-flowered Tulip). (2) The long petals are sharply pointed and curve outward, giving the flower a true lily form. The color is a most beautiful shade of cerise-pink with a pure flowered than the color is a most beautiful shade of cerise-pink with a pure flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and flowered than the color is a most beautiful and the color is a most beautiful base. One of the most beautiful cut flowers among the tulips. 12 for 70c.

The Fawn. (3) Rosy-fawn color changing to

soft rose. A graceful tulip of unusual color. (20-in.) 12 for 60c.

## Mixed Cottage Tulips

Rich yellows, bright reds, pure white and rosy pinks are some of the colors in this mixture. It is compounded from the named varieties of our selection. For a colorful bed or for cut flowers this mixture is strongly recommended. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00, 1000 for \$27.50.

## Collection of Cottage Tulips

Six of the best liked varieties in a money saving collection. For the border or for graceful cut flowers these varieties are excellent. La Merveille, Inglescombe Yellow, Picotee, Inglescombe Pink, Gesneriana Spathulata and Orange King.

6 each (36 bulbs) for \$1.55, 12 each (72 bulbs) for \$3.00, 25 each (150 bulbs) for \$5.35.



Breeder Tulip, Louis XIV.

## Collection of Tulips for the Discriminating

Ten of the very finest of the Darwin, Hybrid and Breeder Tulips in a wonderful range of colors. First quality bulbs many of them imported by us from Holland this year. Darwins: City of Haarlem, King George V, Aphrodite, Cherry Blossom, Melicette and Zwanenberg. Breeder: Louis XIV. Hybrids: Alaska, Ambrosia and Dido.

3 each (30 bulbs, value \$2.49) for \$2.25. 10 each (100 bulbs, value \$6.92) for \$6.00.

## Rainbow Mixture of Tall Stemmed Tulips

Each year we sell thousands of this mixture of Darwin, Cottage and Breeder Tulips and there have been many letters telling of the fine looking bulbs received and the beautiful blossoms from them. Since we use varieties from all the main classes of late tulips, the color range is very wide. Red, pink and yellow shades predominate, with some lavender, dark shades, bronze, and blended tones. First size bulbs, 100 for \$3.00, 200 for \$5.50. Second size bulbs, same fine mixture in smaller bulbs (1¼ to 1½ inches in diameter). Every one will give a good blossom. 100 for \$2.50, 200 for \$4.50.

#### Culture of Tulips

Tulips should be planted in September or October for the best results. We find earlier planting gives better results than late, although in this climate tulips can be planted as late as December. While a great part of the size of the blooms is determined by the size of the bulbs planted, it is essential that the bulbs be provided with a liberal supply of plant food. Bone meal is always recommended but we prefer a well balanced plant food such as Vigoro. If manure is used be sure it is well rotted and worked carefully all through the soil. Cover the bulbs about four inches and where the winters are severe mulch with straw or dry leaves after the ground is frozen. Lift the bulbs every year when the leaves are turning yellow. Dry carefully. Do not expose the bulbs to the sun or wind. In the fall clean off all old loose skin, roots, etc., and reset again.

## BREEDER TULIPS

The Breeder Tulips are noted for their deep rich coloring and artistic blending of shades, especially of purple, gold, bronze, maroon, buff, etc. Their size of flower and length of stem often exceed the Darwins. Many of them are very long lasting in the garden and offer unusual possibilities for cutting.

Bronze Queen. (2) Attractive soft buff with a suggestion of purple shaded with golden bronze. Inside golden bronze with bright yellow base. Large flower and vigorous grower. 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

Cardinal Manning. (4) Wine red flushed rosy bronze shading to lighter bronze at the edges. Large egg-shaped flower. (34-in.) 12 for 70c.

Jaune d'Oeuf. (3) Deep lemon-chrome with a slight flush of pale purple on the outer segments. Large oblong flower on a tall strong stem. 12 for 75c.

La Singuliere. (4) Opens silvery white flushed pansy purple, the color suffusing the whole flower as it ages. Remarkably stiff stem. (30-in.) 12 for 80c.

Louis XIV. (3) One of the finest of all tulips. The large long lasting flowers are deep purple shaded steel blue and edged golden brown. A wonderfully rich color combination. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

Madras. (3) A really brown tulip. The outside is dark golden bronze shaded violet. The inside is mahogany. (26-in.) 12 for 70c.

Panorama (Fairy). (2) Rich orange-red shaded mahogany with olive green base. Enormous substantial flowers of fine oval shape on strong stems. Excellent for mass planting. (26-in.) 12 for 70c.

Pink Pearl. (3) The finest pink Breeder. Unusually large blossom of lilac-pink with a rosy bloom. Creamy white base. (27-in.) 12 for 80c.

Prince of Orange (Orange Beauty). (4) A showy flower of good substance and pleasing fragrance. The petals are terra cotta shading to a warm orange at the edges. (26-in.) 12 for 75c.

Queen Alexandria. (2) Medium size flower of good substance. Bright lemon-yellow with purplish blotch at apex of outer petals. 12 for 60c.

Roi de Siam. (4) A very fine strong growing tulip that comes at the last of the season. The color is a shining violet-purple shading lighter at the edges. Rather long pointed petals. (28-in.) 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.50.

St. James. (3) Dark rosy lilac flushed bronze and edged golden brown. A beautiful tulip after the fashion of Louis XIV. 12 for 80c.

Velvet King. An immense flower often with an extra number of petals supported by an extra strong tall stem. The color is the richest of glossy royal purple set off by a small white base. (31-in.) 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

#### Mixed Breeder Tulips

Our mixture is carefully made from the named varieties in a fine range of rich and harmonizing shades. We think that you will find it very satisfactory. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.



Parrot Tulip (Fantasy)

### PARROT TULIPS

The unusual form and striking colorations of these tulips make them most suitable for cut flower purposes. The flowers are very large with deeply lacinated and encrusted petals. The older varieties are scarcely able to hold up their heads

but Fantasy stands up as erect as a Darwin.

Admiral de Constautinople. (2) Brilliant scarlet with orange markings. 12 for 75c.

Cramoisi Brilliant. (2) Rich blood-crimson with

purplish black markings. 12 for 75c.

Fantasy. (3) One of the outstanding tulips of recent years. A sport of Clara Butt with strong tall stem and blossom of enormous size. The inside of the flower is geranium-red. The outside is salmon-pink to scarlet with apple green marks and encrustations. Two for 25c, 12 for \$1.20.

Gadelan. One of the most sensational introductions of recent years. The outside of the flower is violet and mauve w.th some green marks; the inside is bright violet-purple with a white base. Large flower. Limited supply of finest imported Large flower. Limbulbs. Each \$2.00.

Lutea Major. (2) Lovely clear yellow with green and red markings. 12 for 75c.

#### Special Mixture of Parrot Tulips

If you like bright gay flowers try this brilliant mixture made up from different red and yellow parrots. Quite unusual. Of course Fantasy and Gadelan are not included at this price. 12 for 70c,

#### Hints on Forcing Bulbs

The most important thing in forcing bulbs is to see that a good root system is established before an attempt is made to bring them into bloom. This one thing is the cause of most of the failures to get good blooms from the bulbs. The procedure for most of the bulbs—Tulips, Hyacinths, Daffo-

dils, Crocuses—is the same.

Pot up the bulbs in a fairly rich soil—good garden soil to which some leaf mold or peat moss has been added is satisfactory. The addition of one pound of bone meal to the bushel is desirable. Soil should not be used that has been used for bulbs before. Broken pieces of pots should be used to provide drainage. The top of the bulb may come within ½ inch of the top of pot, being just barely covered with soil.

Make sure that they are thoroughly watered. Cover the pots with enough soil or sand to keep them from freezing or place in a cool dark cellar. Let them remain until well rooted. This will require at least eight to ten weeks for hyacinths and the earliest Single Early Tulips and longer for most of the other things. When well rooted bring into moderate heat but keep out of light, then when the growth has made a good start expose to the full light.

#### TULIP SPECIES

We are listing here some of the finest tulip species. Since they are the ones that grow readily under garden conditions they are moderate in price. They may be planted in deep sunny pockets in the rock garden or other places where they will have deep soil, good drainage and plenty of sun. Plant 5 to 7 inches deep and do not disturb for several years.

Australis (Celsiana). A pretty species with yellow flowers tinged reddish bronze on the outside of petals, fragrant. (12-in.) 12 for \$1.25. Clusiana (Candlestick or Lady Tulip). A charm-

ing little flower of bright rose edged white. Slender tall stem and very narrow long foliage. (14-in.)

12 for 90c, 100 for \$6.50.

Eichleri. Brilliant large crimson-scarlet flowers with glistening black center marked gold. One

of the most splendid tulips and fortunately very easily grown. (11-in.) 12 for 90c, 100 for \$7.00.

Greigi. Enormous flower of vivid orange-scarlet with conspicuous black center. The foliage is beautifully mottled with brown purplish dots.

Each 30c, 12 for \$3.00.

Karfmanniana (Waterlily Tulip) Large creamy

Kaufmanniana (Waterlily Tulip). Large creamy flowers marked on the outside with carmine. In the sun the flower opens flat showing the yellow center. The earliest of all tulips. (8-in.) 12 for \$1.

Marjoletti. Pale yellow flowers with the exterior base rosy red. Very charming for cutting.

(16·in.) 12 for \$1.00.

Pracstans. A fine species from Bokhara. Large bright orange-red flowers, sometimes four or five on a stem. Should be planted about 12 in. deep. (10-in.) 12 for \$1.50.

### Special Collection of Garden Tulibs

100 Bulbs, \$3.50 Postpaid

This is one of the best offers in tulips that we have ever made. If you care to leave the selection to us we will send 10 each of 10 named varieties of Darwin, Cottage, Breeder Tulips in a complete range of color. These are all fine sorts carefully selected and not just the cheapest kinds. 100 bulbs for \$3.50.

#### Collection for Continuous Bloom

If you want to have the maximum of colorful display through the whole season at a minimum expense this collection is the thing. It is a collection of already low priced collections at additional savings. This would be very nice for one starting a new garden.

I.	Collection of Earliest Small Bulbs page 17	\$ 2.25
II.	One dozen each 5 Large Flowered Crocus, page 13	
III.	100 Assorted Narcissi Daffodils,	
IV.	Hyacinths, Two Dozen in four colors page 13	,
V.	Collection of 50 Early Tulips, page 9	
VI.	Rainbow Blend of Late Tulips, 100 bulbs, page 11	
VII.	Dutch Irises, 3 Dozen (See back cover)	
VIII.	Lilies, All Season Collection (18 bulbs) page 19	
	Total Value of Collections	.\$18.00
	Delivered Prenaid for	\$15.00

## HYACINTHS

For wonderful masses of harmonizing color none of the spring bulbs equal the hyacinths. Add to this their rich fragrance and it is no wonder that they are so popular. The color range is wide but practically all of the hyacinths can be used together without danger of discord.

The hyacinths are the easiest of the bulbs to force into early bloom either in pots of soil or bulb fibre or in glasses of water. Hyacinths need a good rich soil—some well rotted manure mixed in the soil and a feeding of well balanced plant food will be to their liking. When planted in beds they should be spaced six to eight inches apart. Cover about four inches deep and of course see that the drainage is good that the drainage is good.

The bulbs we supply are a strong medium size commonly called "Bedding Hyacinths" but very satisfactory for forcing. We grow quantities of them in our own garden and the blossoms are splendid. Price of any of the varieties or mixed: 10c each, 12 for \$1.00.

City of Haarlem. The finest of the yellows. Large well formed trusses of golden yellow changing to creamy yellow with age. An excellent variety for forcing or bedding.

Grand Maitre. Beautiful clear porcelain blue. Large bells on a compact spike.

La Victoire. Shiny dark pink usually described as red. Earlier than the other varieties in this list.

L'Innocence. Large compact spikes of clear waxy white. The loveliest pure white imaginable.

Queen of the Blues. Clear light porcelain blue. strong growing variety of uncommonly beautiful coloring.

Queen of the Pinks. Large well filled truss of good sized bells of clear rose pink. Strong stems. One of the best pink hyacinths for bedding and

Mixed Hyacinths. A general mixture of all the above varieties. You may specify the kinds desired if you wish to.

## **CROCUSES**

Because of their brightness and cheer at the beginning of spring the crocuses have a place in our affections quite apart from other flowers. Everyone heralds the finding of the first crocus as a great event. It is such a cheery little flower and blooms before most other flowers awaken from their winter's sleep.

They like a light sandy loam and if planted 2 or 3 inches deep will continue to increase from year to year. If planted in grass the crocus foliage should be given a chance to ripen before it is cut off.

The autumn flowering crocuses are very airy and lovely. Coming up with no foliage, the delicately colored blossoms are extraordinarily effective and colorful.

#### **AUTUMN FLOWERING VARIETIES**

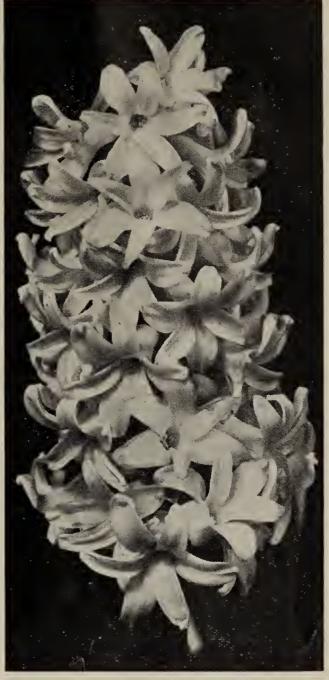
Speciosus. Large bright violet-blue flowers beautifully veined, with a bright yellow throat and orange red anthers. 12 for 55c, 100 for \$3.50.

Zonatus. Beautiful flowers of soft rose lilac with a yellow throat. Very free flowering and easy to grow. 12 for 55c, 100 for \$3.50.

#### SPRING FLOWERING VARIETIES

King of the Whites. Large flower of purest white with large orange stigmata. 12 for 45c, 100 for \$3.00.

Mammoth Yellow. The most popular of all crocuses. The large golden yellow flowers are produced in the greatest abundance. Top size extra large bulbs, 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.25. First size bulbs, 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.75.



Hyacinth

Maximilian. Pure porcelain blue. The large delicately colored flowers are freely produced. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.75.

Pallas. Extra large flowers striped lilac on a white ground. The general effect is light lavender blue. Fine flower. Increases rapidly. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.75.

Purpurea Grandiflora. Rich deep blue purple. The extra large beautiful flowers have unusual substance. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.25.

One dozen each of the five named varieties, largest size bulbs, for \$2.00.

Mixed Large Flowering Crocuses. A well blended mixture of the above varieties. Largest bulbs, 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.75; second size bulbs. 12 for 30c, 100 for \$2.00.

#### A FEW REPORTS FROM CUSTOMERS

From California—"The peonies arrived today and they were dandies."

From Alabama—"I bought daffodils from you last year and they were very satisfactory."

From Washington—"I got your 100 mixed tulips and also got 100 from another party. Altho' the price was the same there was a lot of difference in the size of the bulbs and when yours bloomed I never saw such plants and great big blooms. Well, really, everyone who saw them said I had the finest tulips in town."

New Hampshire—"I was so impressed with the bulbs I received and the dispatch in filling the order that you are getting another order now."



**Dutch Irises** 

## SPANISH IRISES

The Spanish irises are similar to the Dutch in all respects. The Spanish was the original type and the Dutch has been derived from them. The Spanish follow the Dutch in time of bloom and are more slender and at least sometimes more graceful.

Cajanus. Large graceful blossom of clear golden yellow on tall slender stems. One of the finest yellow irises for the garden and one of the most

## **DUTCH IRISES**

This group of irises is increasing in popularity each year. Their lovely clear colors, shades of blue and yellow and pure white, add immeasurably to the garden picture just after the tulips have passed out of the scene. For cutting they have become tremendously popular, millions being used by the florists every year.

Their cultural requirements are must the same as for tulips. October planting is probably the best time in most parts of the country. Where the winters are severe the beds should be well mulched after freezing starts.

A. Bloemaard. One of the earliest of the Dutch iris. Large flower with dark purplish blue standards, clear lighter blue falls. (20-in.) 12 for 60c.

**D.** Haring. Pure white falls with standards of greyish white. A strong growing variety that produces very large flowers of good substance. Height 26 inches. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

Golden Bronze. Standards dark violet edged bronze, falls attractive golden bronze. A very beautiful new variety. Late. 12 for 75c.

Imperator (Filifolia). Later blooming than the true Dutch irises, connecting them with the Spanish. Deep blue standards and falls. Large, free flowering and a vigorous grower. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

Poggenbeek. A remarkably beautiful clear dark blue iris. Early. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

Theresa van Duyll Schwartz. Standards pale corn-flower blue. Falls pure white with narrow orange stripe. Beautiful cut flowers. 12 for 50c.

Wedgewood (Tingitana hybrid). This splendid variety blooms about two weeks earlier than the regular Dutch iris. The large flowers are of a bright Wedgewood blue. The growth is especially vigorous. A group of this variety in a warm sheltered corner and left in from year to year will surprise you with the extreme earliness of its flowering. 12 for \$1.00.

White Excelsior. Large pure white flowers of a very good form and substance. Medium height. Early. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

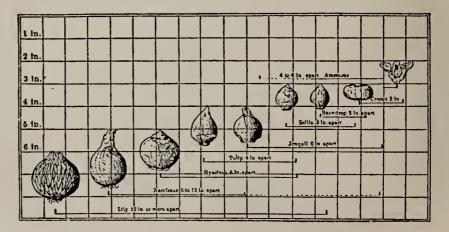
Yellow Queen. Clear golden yellow flowers on tall slender stems. Very effective for a splash of clear yellow in the garden and also a splendid cut flower. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

Mixed Dutch Irises. A good assortment of different varieties in a wide range of color. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.50.

delightful cut flowers in the whole list. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Mixed Spanish Irises. Made up from good blue, yellow and white varieties. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

This scale shows at a glance how deep to plant and space bulbs.



## **PEONIES**

This is not a long list of peonies but they are all of outstanding excellence. The plants we send are fine strong divisions with three to five eyes. Peonies represent so permanent an investment in garden beautification that they should be chosen with great care. The figures preceding the names are the ratings of the American Peony Society so that you can see that these are all nearly perfect varieties.

In planting see that the eyes are about two inches below the surface of the ground. Too deep planting is one of the main causes of shy bloom-

9.0 Baroness Schroeder. Globular flowers, white guard petals and white center with shadings of flesh. Immense flowers of great substance are freely produced. Strong stems. Very fragrant. Late midseason. Each 60c.

8.9 Jubilee. Often a prize winner at the peony exhibitions. Extra large flowers that open pale pink, turning to waxy white. Long stems. Early. Each 75c.

9.1 Lady Alexandria Duff. Outer petals delicate pink gradually shading lighter toward the center. If not disbudded each stem makes a large bouquet by itself, the side blossoms often showing the yellow stamens in the center. Unusually strong tall stems. Midseason. Each 80c.

8.7 Mary Brand. Vivid crimson with silky sheen. Full double flowers freely produced on stems of medium height. Midseason. Each 50c.

9.2 Mons. Jules Elie. Large globular flowers of satiny pink. One of the finest pink peonies. Fragrant. Early. Each 50c.

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Officionalis Rubra. The old fashioned "piny". Well established plants are mass of deep crimson red bloom that make a showy display in the garden about two weeks before the other

peonies in existence. Late midsleason. Each 75c.

9.8 Therese. Beautiful soft shade of violet-rose becoming lighter with age. Very large rose type flowers on a vigorous plant. Midseason. Each 80c.

9.4 Tourangelle. Creamy white with salmon shadings at base of petals. Most unusual and delightful coloring. Very fragrant. Each \$1.00.

9.3 Walter Faxon. Bright rose pink deepening toward the center. Beautiful distinct color. A tall vigorous growing and free blooming variety. Midseason. Each \$1.00.

### Special Peony Collection

Five of the world's finest peonies at a price no greater than usually paid for common sorts. Jubilee, Lady Alexander Duff, Mary Brand, Solange, and Walter Faxon. One large strong division of each (value \$3.70) for \$3.00.

### Camassia (Camas)

An Oregon native that is perfectly hardy and succeeds in places where other bulbs could not live. They are often found in low wet places submerged in the winter and baked hard in the summer. They take kindly to cultivation and do well under ordinary garden conditions or when nat-uralized along the sides of streams and ponds or in the open woods. Plant in the fall about four inches deep, preferably in clumps of a dozen or more. The bulbs may be left undisturbed for years. The Indians used to dig these bulbs in great quan-tities and prepare a sort of flour from them tities and prepare a sort of flour from them.

Leichtlinii cream. A tall growing type with stems up to four feet in height with long heads of creamy white star-shaped flowers often and a half across. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

Deep blue. Similar to the above but not quite as tall. Clear deep blue flowers that remain in bloom for a long time. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.



Peony, Walter Faxon



Peony, Therese



Camassia

### Little Bulbs for the Rock Garden and Border



Snowflake, Leucojum

#### Chionodoxa (Glory of the Snow)

Luciliae. Bright blue with pure white center. Often a dozen flowers on each five-inch stem producing a very delightful effect. In bloom before the crocuses. Should be planted in clumps three inches deep where they need not be disturbed for years. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.50.



Scilla Campanulata

#### Eranthis (Winter Aconite)

Hyemalis. With us this is usually the first flower of the new season — a cheerful bright flower like a golden buttercup above a collar of deeply divided green leaves. Height about four inches. One of the few bulbs that will thrive under trees. They self-seed freely. Plant about two inches deep. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.50.

#### Galanthus (Snowdrop)

One of the best liked of the very early spring flowers. Small nodding flowers of white with green tips. Once established they are best left alone and they will increase from year to year. Plant in early fall in a rather cool place and mulch with leaf soil. These fresh Northwestern grown bulbs are much less apt to die out than imported steels. imported stock.

Nivalis. The old fashioned snowdrop. With us it is usually in bloom in January. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

Especially recommended for the Elwesii. warmer parts of the country where nivalis does not do so well. Larger than the old fashioned type. 12 for 55c, 100 for \$4.00.

#### Leucojum (Snowflakes)

Vernum. The spring snowflake. Nodding white flowers tipped with green on stems 6-8 inches high. Should be planted in clumps 4 or 5 inches and covered about 3 inches deep. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.00.

## Muscari (Grape Hyacinths)

The grape hyacinths are so easily grown and furnish such a lot of attractive little flowers that they should be used in quantity. They grow well under trees or in full sun.

Botryoides Coeruleum. Bright medium blue early flowering type. Fine for the rock garden or naturalizing. 12 for 30c, 100 for \$2.00.

Heavenly Blue. Splendid variety for mass planting, increasing rapidly. Stays in bloom over a long period as each bulb throws several spikes of rich blue blooms. 12 for 35c, 100 for \$2.00.

Plumosus (Feather or Plume Hyacinth). A most unusual flower bearing large feathery plumes of violet blue. May flowering. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$450

100 for \$4.50.

#### Scillas

The scillas are most satisfactory bulbs for naturalizing and borders. They thrive in woodland or full sun and increase in beauty from year to year. Rodents or insects do not bother them. The campanulata (hispanica) varieties have erect stems 10 to 12 inches high—higher in rich shady To obtain the best effects they should be left undisturbed for several years when they form

Campanulata (hispanica) Alba Maxima. Fine large flowering white. The spikes somewhat resemble Lily-of-the-Valley blossoms. 12 for 45c, 100 for \$3.00.

Campanulata Blue. Splendid free flowering medium shade of blue. The most popular variety. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00.

Campanulata Rosea. A very attractive shade of soft pink. Fine large spike. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.25.

Siberica. Of all the early spring flowers we think this has the most delightful color—the clearest intense blue with no markings. Each bulb produces several four-inch spikes beginn a number of the bright little star-shaped flowers. Remains in flower longer than most of the early spring bulbs. Plant three inches deep in shade or sun. First size bulbs, 12 for 45c, 100 for \$3.00.

## Tender Bulbs for the Southland or for Forcing

#### Freesias

The beautifully colored new freesias have given this ever popular flower a great increase in Their sweet fragrance and ease of popularity. forcing make them most desirable for house culture. A succession of planting in August and September will greatly extend the blooming period. The early plantings may be left out of doors until cold weather, then brought to the window of a cool room. Be sure that they have plenty of water at all times.

Golden Daffodil. Giant blooms of rich daffodil yellow. Very early. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

Purity. Lovely pure white flowers of good substance on long stems. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.50.

Rainbow Blend. Made up of many varieties in all the colors of the rainbow. 12 for 40c, 100 for \$2.50. for \$2.50.

#### LEUCOCORYNE

Ixioides Odorata (Glory of the Sun). This novelty from Chile has been one of the sensations of the California flower shows where it may be grown out of doors. In the cooler states it does splendidly under glass. Numerous flowers of beautiful light blue with white centers on wiry stems about 18 inches tall. Flowers are sweet-scented and very long lasting. 25c each, 12 for \$2.50.

#### **ORNITHOGALUM**

Aureum (Golden Chincherinchee of South Africa). The finest of the Ornithogalums. Large heads of apricot orange flowers on heavy green stems about 12 inches tall. An outstanding pot plant remaining in bloom several months. Cut flower will keep for over a month. 25c each, 12 for \$2.50.

#### Anemones and Ranunculi Half Hardy

These two brilliant flowers delight in our Pacific Coast climate but in the colder sections of the country they must be protected or planted in the spring. Each root will produce a nice clump that will continue to bloom over a long period. The roots should be soaked in tepid water for several hours and then planted two inches deep in a fairly rich loose soil having good drainage.

Frequent applications of a good plant food followed by thorough watering is necessary for best results. We supply first size bulbs only.

#### ANEMONES

Anemone Monarch de Caen. A robust strain of the single poppy type anemone with immense flowers on long strong stems. The colors are shades of scarlet, pink, lavender and blue. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

St. Brigid-Creagh Castle. Large semi-double flowers in a wonderful assortment of delicate and brilliant shades of color including many rose, pink, lavender and blue. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

His Excellency. Vivid red flowers with a white

base. Large single poppy type anemone. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

Blue Poppy. A beautiful strain all in shades of blue. Large flowers. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

#### RANUNCULI

Tecolote Giants. The finest new strain of double ranunculi. Large double and semi-double flowers in a wonderful range of color including orange, red, yellow, pink, etc. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

Tecolote Giants Gold. A new selection of this famous strain. Giant double and semi-double flowers of a dazzling golden yellow. First awards 1934 at many national flower shows. 12 for 75c, 100 for

Tecolote Giants Red. All shades of red from orange red to crimson in the extra large peony flowered type. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.



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Lilies-of-the-Valley

#### Hardy Lily-of-the-Valley

This delightfully fragrant little flower is beloved by all. It does especially well in partial shade. Plant two inches deep, preferably in a rich sandy loam. A dressing of well rotted manure and leaf mold in the autumn will insure finer and more blooms. Field grown clumps containing about 25 pips, many of which will bloom the first year. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

L. Testaceum

Auratum Platyphyllum. The broad leaved vigorous growing type of the Gold-banded lily. The flowers are really enormous, sometimes as much as 12 inches across, of white with a stripe of rich golden yellow through the center of each petal. Plant 6 to 10 inches deep. Medium size imported bulbs (8-9 in.), 35c each, 12 for \$3.50.



L. Candidum

## HARDY LILIES

Oregon grown lily bulbs are known to be superior to imported bulbs. They are more free from disease and can be delivered in the early fall when planting conditions are at their best. Then, too, these home grown bulbs can be shipped with their roots fresh and whole, all ready to commence feeding the bulb at once. You will find a vast difference between these fresh bulbs and the dried-up bulbs with no roots that are usually sold. In the few cases where Oregon grown stocks are not available we will send the best imported bulbs obtainable.

The varieties listed below are all easily grown provided a little judgment is used in planting them. They need considerable moisture during the growing season but must have good drainage. Most all the lilies like a soil rich in humus. If manure is used it is much safer to apply it as a mulch. Nearly all lilies in the wild grow up through a low covering of shrubs or plants which shade the ground and lower part of the stem.

Browni (True). "The most beautiful lily I ever saw," several have said of a vase of opening buds in the house today. Large trumpet flowers beautifully formed. Pure white shading green in the throat and corinthian purple on the outside. June, July. Plant 8 inches deep. Fine bulbs, \$2.00.

Canadense. A pretty little lily with gracefully drooping flowers. The color varies from yellow to orange-red heavily dotted within. A native of the eastern United States, it is very hardy and excellent for naturalizing. 25c each, 12 for \$2.50.

Candidum (Madonna Lily). Pure waxy white blossoms with delicious fragrance. A tall stately lily that is lovely combined with blue delphiniums. Blossoms in June or early July. Should be planted in the fall as leaf growth starts at once. Do not cover the top of the bulbs with more than an inch or two of soil. Large bulbs, 25c each, 12 for \$2.50. Medium size bulbs, 15c each, 12 for \$1.50.

Giganteum Himalaicum. This majestic plant has stems often 12 feet tall bearing many very long trumpet shaped flowers—white with a tinge of purple in the throat. Around the base and clothing the stem are many very large heart-shaped leaves. Plant the bulbs shallow in soil rich in leaf mold where they will be completely shaded from the sun. Each, \$2.00.

Hansoni. A most desirable lily, very handsome, dependable, hardy and of easy culture. Four to five foot stems bearing many reflexing waxy blossoms of bright orange-yellow. Plant in partial shade, 10 inches deep. June flowering. 50c each, 12 for \$5.00.

Henryi. Gracefully recurved blossoms of rich orange-yellow with green band at the center. Tall slender stem sometimes reaching eight feet in established clumps. Very hardy and extremely dependable. Plant 10 inches deep, preferably in partial shade. Large bulbs, 40c each, 12 for \$4.00; strong medium size bulbs, 25c each, 12 for \$2.50; good flowering size bulbs, 15c each, 12 for \$1.50.

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Pardalinum Giganteum (The Sunset Lily). This brilliant hybrid of Pardalinum was only introduced a few years ago but in that time has created a sensation among growers of lilies everywhere. The color is a brilliant red with a bright yellow center heavily dotted maroon. Much brighter in color than L. Pardalinum and much more vigorous and taller growing. Specimens have been known to reach a height of 12 feet with 40 blossoms. Does well in any well drained soil but should have plenty of moisture during the growing season. 50c each, 12 for \$5.00.

Regale. The most popular lily in America to-day. The large trumpet is pure white flushed yellow in the throat. On the outside the white is shaded with wine color. Very vigorous, extremely hardy and succeeds almost everywhere. Established bulbs often have over 20 blooms on stems five or six feet high. Plant 8 to 10 inches deep in good fertile soil where they will have good drainage. Medium size blooming bulbs (6-7 in) 10c each, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50. Large bulbs (7-9 in.) 20c each, 12 for \$2.00, 100 for \$15.00. Extra large bulbs (9-11 in.) 35c each, 12 for \$3.50. A few jumbo bulbs (11 in. and over) 60c each.

Speciosum Album. The white form of the dependable Japanese Speciosum lilies. Beautiful white flowers of great substance with a greenish band through the center of each reflexing petal. Plant 8 to 10 inches deep. 35c each, 12 for \$3.50.

Speciosum Magnificum. The improved Rubrum lily. Large recurved blossoms of good substance on a very vigorous growing plant that remains in bloom for a long time. Rich ruby red with white margin. 35e each, 12 for \$3.50.

Sulfureum. A rare lily bearing trumpet shaped flowers that reach a length of eight to twelve inches. The stalks reach a height of four to eight feet with as many as twelve blossoms. The color is a pleasing shade of soft sulfur-yellow shading deeper in the throat. It is the latest of the trumpet lilies to bloom. Plant at least ten inches deep and mulch well in cold climates. Strong medium size bulbs, \$1.00 each, 12 for \$10.00.

Superbum. A beautiful American variety with bright orange-scarlet blossoms spotted purplish brown. Established clumps sometimes have spikes eight feet high with 20 or 30 blossoms. Good large bulbs, 25c each, \$2.50 per doz.

Tenuifolium (Coral Lily). Brilliant coral-red recurving blossoms of waxy texture. As many as twenty flowers on a slender graceful stem with long narrow foliage. Very early flowering. The best lily for rock gardens. Large bulbs, 20c each, 12 for \$2.00. Strong medium size bulbs, 10c each, 12 for \$1.00.

Tenuifolium Golden Gleam. A beautiful type with flowers of apricot-yellow. A vigorous grower and very floriferous. 35e each, 12 for \$3.50.

Testaceum (Nankeen Lily). One of the finest of all lilies. The color is most unusual and difficult to describe. A dull apricot or buff yellow tone known as nankeen yellow. Easily grown and permanent. Should be planted early in the fall and never covered deeply—two inches over the top is enough. Fine large bulbs, \$1.00 each, 12 for \$10.00. Medium size bulbs, 75c each, 12 for \$7.50.

Tigrinum Splendens. A very robust large blossoming type of the Tiger lily. Deserves to be planted freely. Easily grows to 6 feet with 24 buds and blossoms of bright orange-red with nearly black spots. Extra large bulbs, 25c each, 12 for \$2.50. Medium size bulbs, 15c each, 12 for \$1.50. Flowering size bulbs, 10c each, 12 for \$1.00.



L. Umbellatum

Umbellatum. A very free flowering lily of the easiest culture bearing in June large heads of rich orange-red flowers that face upward. Two to three feet high. Plant about four inches deep. Medium size blooming bulbs, 10c each, 12 for \$1.00. Large bulbs, 20c each, 12 for \$2.00.

Washingtonianum (Mt. Hood Lily). A beautiful trumpet shaped lily that is native to Oregon. The blossoms which come in June and July open white and become shaded pink and wine color. Plant 10 inches deep. Large bulbs, 50c each, 12 for \$5.00. Medium size bulbs, 35c each, 12 for \$3.50.

Willmottiae. Vivid orange-red recurving flowers on a slender stem with long deep green foliage. The whole plant is one of unusual gracefulness. Very hardy and vigorous, attaining when well established a height of six feet with as high as 20 flowers on a stem. July flowering. Strong medium bulbs, 30c each, 12 for \$3.00. Large bulbs, 50c each, 12 for \$5.00.

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